



October Birthday's

1 st	Martha McCormick
3 rd	Nancy Catlett
	Beth Homicz
	Dustin Mayo
4 th	Melissa Hostetter
7 th	Stephanie Ballard
	Kirk Goodbar
9 th	Jennifer Stump
	Trent Rowsey
13 th	Joan Potter
	Karen Moore
15 th	Betty Trovato
16 th	Hillary Deacon
17 th	Steve Hildreth
20 th	Joe Cummings
25 th	Ian Treger
26 th	Raeann Hostetter
27 th	Kelsie Caldwell
29 th	Frances Ruley

Anniversaries

2nd	Jonathan & Kimberly Hines
8th	Jim & Nancy Vallance
9th	Don & Joyce Reid
13th	Greg & Lisa Hartless
14th	Will & Cassie Knick
20th	Tommy & Kathryn Harris
23rd	Will & Ashley Hartless
29th	John & Nancy Conklin



CPC READIES FOR THE ANNUAL CHURCH DINNER

Colored leaves, orange pumpkins, yellow chrysanthemums, and cooler temperatures all signal its "ANNUAL CHURCH DINNER TIME" at the Collierstown Presbyterian Church! First begun in 1925, the Annual Church Dinner continues to be a day when the CPC family opens its doors and warmly welcomes the community, visitors from the area, and strangers who may be passing by. WE INVITE ALL to come inside and enjoy a hot meal and share in our fellowship. This year the Annual Church Dinner will be held on Saturday, November 2, with meals being served continuously from 11:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m. The day's menu will feature country ham, fried oysters, and turkey with all the trimmings. An array of home cooked vegetables, coleslaw, applesauce, breads, assorted beverages, and slices of delicious homemade cakes will provide the finishing touches for this amazing dining experience.

As a church family we are now focused on THE PREPARATIONS for the Annual Dinner sponsored by the Presbyterian Women and the Dinner Steering Committee chaired by Frances Ruley. There are many tasks to complete so everyone's help from the youngest to the oldest member of our church family is needed. Our Bazaar Room will have their offerings of baked goods, crafts, fresh homemade soups, and garden vegetables for sale. Proceeds from the Bazaar will benefit the Rockbridge Fellowship of Christian Athletes and the Helping Hands food ministry of Fairfield Presbyterian Church. We want to share our faith through our hospitality and make this day special for our many friends and guests.



CPC Annual Dinner Bazaar Room



It's now officially October and we are joyous in the fact that our Annual Dinner and Bazaar Room preparations have begun! Please be thinking of what you can donate to our bazaar room this year. As always, the Presbyterian Women will donate the proceeds of the bazaar room to local missions. Our beneficiaries for 2024 will be the Fellowship of Christian Athletes of Rockbridge County and the Food Bank of Fairfield Presbyterian Church (Helping Hands Program). We all know that all our local missions are worthy of our help and would benefit greatly from our support. So, on that note, please dig deep into your bag of talents and see what you can come up with to help make this year's bazaar room a success!

Best Sellers:

- Homemade baked goods (cakes, pies, cookies, breads, rolls)
- Homemade canned/jarred items (soups, chili, pickles, jams/jellies)
- Jewelry (handmade or just jewelry you don't wear anymore)
- Handcrafted Items (woodwork, knitting, crochet, quilting, painting, etc.)
- Applebutter

There are so many talents in our church family to list so please let's put them all to good use and pack the Bazaar Room with wonderful goodies for this year.

Please also consider making a monetary donation to our Bazaar Room. Our visitors always look for applebutter and we must have monetary donations in order to purchase this item. Please consider being a Bazaar Room sponsor for 2024. Please note that monetary donations are tax deductible and will be included in your yearly church donation letters. These items need to be ordered, so time is of the essence! If you can donate, we would appreciate it as soon as possible. Please feel free to reach out with any questions or suggestions. Email: kellyjr@vmi.edu (Jennifer)



Annual Church Dinner Calendar 2024

Listed below is a calendar detailing the work opportunities and ways you can provide assistance in completing our preparations. *Church dinner veterans will tell you the tasks don't seem like "work" when you are doing it with your church family!*

September 22-October 6: Canvass for donation of food items and cash contributions

Sunday, September 29: "Signup Sheets for jobs on Dinner Day and the week prior"
Bulletin Board in hallway of Educational Building – *be sure to add your name*

Sat, October 5: Kitchen and Fellowship Hall Clean Up Day starting at 9:00 a.m.

Thurs., Oct. 17: Dressing Patty Preparation: 9:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m.

Monday, Oct. 21: Slaw Making

Sat, October 26: Church Building and Grounds Clean Up days starting at 9:00 a.m.

Bring rakes, tarps, and leaf blowers for outdoor clean up.

Can't make it to either clean up day- *A list of jobs needing to be done will be posted by the kitchen telephone. Come on another day or evening, do a job, and mark it off when complete.*

Fri., November 1: 9:00 a.m. – Food Prep, Set up Dining Room & Take Out Meals

Final grounds prep

5:00 p.m. – Oyster Patty Party, Take Out food & Bazaar building prep

Sat., November 2: 8:00 a.m. – Final Food & Dining Room Preparations

10:30 a.m. - Oyster Frying begins

11:00 a.m.-7:00 p.m.- Meals served

8:00 p.m.- Clean up begins

Sun., November 3: 11:00 a.m. – Come to church service to worship and share the joy & blessing of serving others through hospitality!!



FROM THE WORSHIP COMMITTEE

October 13, 2024 - Rev. Bernard Bangley
Congregational Meeting for election of elders

November 10, 2024 - Rev. Skip Hastings
Ordination and installation of elders

CPC BIBLE STUDIES

NIGHT CIRCLE MEETS THURSDAY,
OCTOBER 3rd @6:30 in the Fellowship Hall.

C&F CIRCLE DATE CHANGE FOR OCTOBER:
The C&F circle will meet TUESDAY OCTOBER 8
@1:00 P.M. Date changed so Lindsey, our
incoming moderator may be present to lead our
circle meeting in October. We will be studying
Lesson 2. LADIES MARK YOUR CALENDAR
WITH THE NEW DATE.



Collierstown Presbyterian Church Annual Dinner 2024

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on Facebook to help get the
word out! You can find it by
typing Collierstown
Presbyterian Church Annual
Dinner 2024 in the Facebook
search engine. You can also copy
and paste the link below into
your web browser, and it should
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B&G CLEAN UP DAYS

In preparation for the annual dinner



It's that time of year again.
Mark your calendar for Saturday
October 26th @ 9:00 a.m. Bring your
rakes, leaf blowers, tarps, and
strong backs because it's time to
clean up the church and manse
yards before our annual dinner. If
you have questions please contact
Mark Fontenot.

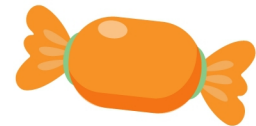
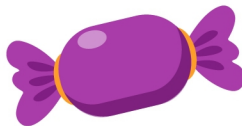




Effinger Community



TRUNK OR TREAT



Saturday, October 26

**3:00PM
to
4:30PM**

**Effinger Fire Dept
Parking Lot**

Union View
Advent
Church

Collierstown
Baptist
Church

Mt Horeb &
Collierstown
United
Methodist
Churches

Rapps Mill
Church &
Effinger Vol
Fire Dept

Oxford &
Collierstown
Presbyterian
Churches

October 2024

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
29 Sign-up for Board Meeting on Bulletin @ 11:00am	30	1	2	3 Night Circle @ 6:30pm	4	5 Kitchen & Fellowship Hall Clean Up Day @ 9:00am
6 Worship @ 11:00am	7 NEW DATE: C&F Circle @ 1pm	8	9	10	11	12
13 Worship @ 11:00am & Congregational Meeting	14 Session Meeting @ 6:30pm	15	16	17 Dressing party prep @ 9:00am & 6:00pm	18	19
20 Worship @ 11:00am	21 Slow Making	22	23	24	25	26 Building & Grounds Clean-up Day @ 9:00am Trunk-or-Treat EYFD 3-4:30pm
27 Worship @ 11:00am	28	29	30	31	1 9:00am Food Prep/Set Up 5:00pm Oyster Party & Final Set Up	2 THE BIG DAY 8:00am (Meals served 1-7)

Notes

All meetings will be held in Fellowship Hall.